



Dates for your diary

Gift stalls: 12th, 13th and 19th December. Tickets: <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/friends-of-st-peters-school-coggeshall> & volunteer sign up: <https://volunteersignup.org/MLTP4>

Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to seeing you at our upcoming events!



Christmas gift stalls

Our elves are in the final stages of getting all the presents ready for the annual Christmas gift stalls. The first two stalls are this week - please don't leave it too late to order gifts for your children to pick, as there is a final deadline of 17th December.

This year all payments need to be made online as part of our efforts to be more cashless and to avoid any to prevent any children being disappointed due to lost envelopes. You can pay for the gifts at the following link:

<https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/friends-of-st-peters-school-coggeshall>

Spring dates coming soon

We are in the process of confirming events for the spring term. It will be a quieter one, but we do have some new ideas we are exploring.

One date we can confirm is for another **Bag2School collection**. You can drop off old clothes (apart from school uniform) in bags at the Woolpack on the morning of Thursday, 23rd January. We will share more information closer to the time, but if you are having a clear-out ahead of Christmas or in the new year, please hold onto old clothes ready for the collection.



Easyfundraising: support us while Christmas shopping



Since launching our easyfundraising account, we've raised an impressive £3,471.49 with the help of just 117 supporters! However, the amount we are raising has plateaued recently - over the past five months, we've gained only one new supporter. We could raise so much especially if everyone used easyfundraising when doing their Christmas shopping!

It's so easy to join! Just take a look here: <https://fospschool.co.uk/easy-fundraising/>

If you need help getting it set up, just email us on ptafosp@gmail.com and one of our committee will be able to sort it out for you.

Coggeshall Christmas

For the first time ever, our chocolate tombola had to be moved indoors due to Storm Darragh! All the outdoor stalls that were part of Coggeshall Christmas found new homes in the village hall, the White Hart, and Christ Church. Despite the incredibly windy and wet weather, there was a fantastic turnout and a wonderful atmosphere.

A huge thank you to everyone who donated chocolate, as well as to our amazing volunteers who sorted the donations, looked after the items before and after the event, and helped run the stall. Special thanks also go to Adam from Coggeshall Catering for kindly loaning tables for the tombola.

We're thrilled to share that we raised around £930 from 500 chocolate items!



Fundraising totals coming soon!

It's been such a busy term, and it takes time to gather all the expenses and calculate the total profits. As soon as everything is finalised, we'll share the amounts raised!

While we're still waiting for a few final figures, we're delighted to report that we are on track to hit our annual target of £20,000. This incredible achievement is all thanks to the amazing support of our school community, and the school is deeply grateful for your contributions.



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